

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

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EXHAUST OUTLET EQUIPMENT OF SMALL WATERCRAFT AND PIPE

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office action dated August 6, 2004, please consider the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 9.

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